THANKSGIVING DAY SPECIAL SERVICES OPEN ON SUNDAY

Cantatas and Sermons Planned With Special View to Prosperity.

Washington churches will join with the other Christian denominations of this country in celebrating Thanksgiving Day. In some of the churches special services will be held tomorrow, on Thursday many of the congregations join in union meetings to offer thanks for the blessings of the

Personal Praise," the Rev. Dr. J. J. ulr. Temple Eaptist Church, 11

the Wesley Chapel, Fifth and F streets northwest, where the Rev. Dr. James Shera Montgomer, pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church, will preach on "The Realm of Our Thanksgiving."

All of the twenty-three churches in the Columbia Association of Baptist Churches will hold a praise and song service at Calvary Baptist Church, where the Thanksgiving sermon will be preached by the Rev. B. D. Gaw, pastor of the West Washington Baptist Church. The Rev. Dr. Samuel Greene, pastor of Calvary Baptist, will preside. President Tatt's Thanksgiving proclumation will be read, and a special musical program given.

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The congregations of the St. Paul's English Lutheran and the Luther Place Memorial Churches will meet at St. Paul's at 11 o'clock, where special services will be held. The Rev. D. John T. Huddle, pastor of St. Paul's, will preach. The church choir will sing "Presise Ye the Lord, Oit Jerusalem" of the "Song of Thanksgiving." The offering at this service will be for the Lutheran Home for the Aged at Winstrop Heights. Tomorrow evening a thank offering meeting will be held at St. Paul's by the Ladles' Missionary Society of that church. Miss Florence M. Brown, general secretary of the Y. W. C. A., will be the speaker. A special musical program will be given.

The Rev. G. B. Raymond, an evangelist from New York, speaks at 3 o'clock in the New Masonic Temple.

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The Washington Secular League meets at 3 o'clock in the Pythian Temple, 1012 Ninth street northwest, and prezents a debate on "Compulsory Vaccination." N. B. Bradford, anti-vaccinationist and Dr. Arthur L. Murray, in support of vaccination, will be the speakers.

Vesper services will be held at the Young Women's Christian Association at 4:30 o'clock. The speaker will be Dr. Thomas Jesse Jones, whose subject will be "Alleys and Housing Conditions in Washington." This iecture will deal with the moral, physical, and social side of the city's sium life.

"Life as a Pleasure, a Disappointment, and a Privilege" will be the regular Sunday afternoon sermon at the Church of the Covenant at 4 o'clock.

The Evening Sermons.

Of the many evening sermons, per-haps that of the Rev. Frederick W. pastor of Grace Baptist Johnson, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, Ninth street and South Carolina avenue southeast, on the "Need of a Reorganization of Society," will attract the greatest amount or attention. The pastor will ask the question why is it that it will be possible in the future for an ex-President or his widow to draw a pension of \$25,000 a year when it seems impossible to give pensions to hard-worked and faithful Government employes.

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The Rev. J. L. McElhaney, pastor of the Mountain of the Turkish Empire As Church, will preach at 8 o'clock on the "Downfall of the Turkish Empire As Poretold in Prophecy." In this sermon the pastor will speak of the coming of the world's end. He sees in the downfall of the Turkish empire a forerunner of the end of time.

The Rev. E. Hez Swem, pastor of the Centennial Baptist Church, will preach on "How Many People Will Be Saved?" at 8 o'clock, and during the service the congregation will sing some of forty songs recently written by the pastor

ANACOSTIA MAN DIES IN FAR WEST WEDDED IN HOTEL

Son of Policeman, Himself a Private Detective, Succumbs to Disease Contracted in Tuscon-Care of Dead Woman's House Surrendered to Heirs.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU, ANACOSTIA, D. C., NOV. 25. street at a cost of \$2,000. Information has been received here of the death in Los Angeles, Cal., of Bruce A. W. Allen, who was a resident formerly of Anacostia. He was a son of the late Policeman Frank Allen, whose post of duty for many years was in this part of the District. The young man's mother, Mrs. M. E. Allen, of Washington, who was summoned to his bedside, notified members of the family in the city of his death. Information has been received here in the city of his death.

offer thanks for the blessings of the year.

The Rev. John Compton Ball, paster of the Metropolitan Haptist Church, will preach a special Thanksgiving sermont tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock on "National and Individual Reason for Gratitude to God." In this sermon the paster will point out that the country is now enjoying a great wave of prosperity; that the United States is reaping its great crops this fall, and that the individual prosperity of each man has been as good as in the past.

Fraternal Service.

At the Fifth Baptist Church at 7:45 o'clock a special service will be confucted by the Andrew Jackson Council, Junior Order United American Mac. Briggs, paster of the church, will make addreesses. Today the church is being decorated with flags and flowers, a special musical program is being arranged.

A Thanksgiving cantata, "Seed Time and Harvest," will be given at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock. The music will be led by the Church at 8 o'clock. The music w been made against him.

Miss Rachel Joyco was given a surprise linen shower last evening at the home near Glesboro, below Congress Heights. A large company of young folks from Congress Heights appeared at her residence, and she was presented with many household gifts. Among those present was the Rev. Merritt Earl, the pastor of the Congress eHights M. E. Church, who will officiate on November 27 in that church at the marriage of Miss Joyce and Thomas Jefferson Tucker. Miss Joyce has been active in the Methodist Church of the suburb named for a long time, being a Sunday school teachier, and most of those who took part in the surprise affair of last evening are members of the church.

dened," the Rev. Frederick W. Johnson, Grace Baptist Church, 11 o'clock.

"A Star Christian," the Rev. E. Heg. Swem, Centennial Baptist Church, 11 o'clock.

"The Lord's Jewels," the Rev. Dr. C. Ernest Smith, St. Thomas' Episcopal Church, 11 o'clock.

"Conquest and Conversation," the Rev. Joseph M. M. Gray, Hamline Methodist Episcopal Church, 11 o'clock.

"The Writing on the Wall," the Rev. Dr. J. Methodist Episcopal Church, 11 o'clock, "The Writing on the Wall," the Rev. Dr. James Shera Mentgomery, Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church, 11 o'clock, "Soul and Body," First Church of Christ, Scientist, 11 o'clock, "Soul and Individual Reason for Cratitude to God," the Rev. John Compton Ball, Metropolitan Baptist Church, 11 o'clock.

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"Personal Praise." the Rev. Dr. J. J. Muir. Temple Eaptist Church. 11 o'clock. Right Rev. William T. Russell, assisted by two priests from Holy Cross College, Brookland, D. C., will celebrate high mass at St. Patrick's Catholic Church tomorrow morning at 10 clock. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. John M. McNamara; The two choirs of the church, under the direction of R, Mills Silby and Miss Jennie Glennam, will assist in the services.

Union Thanksgiving Service.

The Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal, and the First Presbyterian Churches will hold a union Thanksgiving service Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the Wesley Chapel, Fifth and F streets morthwest, where the Rev. Dr. James Shera Montgomery, pastor of the Metropolitan Mothodist Episcopal the Wesley Chapel, Fifth and F streets morthwest, where the Rev. Dr. James Shera Montgomery, pastor of the Metropolitan Mothodist Episcopal Church

Begins His Seventh Year as Pastor at Grace Baptist Church

The Rev. Frederick W. Johnson, pas tor of Grace Baptist Church, begins to-morrow morning the seventh year of his pastorate at that church. Today he enjoys a reputation in Washington for church upbuilding thatt few pastors in

Took 1,100 Into Church **During His Thirteen** Years as Its Pastor

Completing his thirteenth year as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church the Rev. Dr. Donald C. MacLeod is today happy over the fact that during this period of his ministry he has taken into the church more than 1,100 mem-

into the church more than 1,100 members.

When he assumed the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church thirteen years ago the membership was but about 200. From its strong enrollment the church has given to young churches organized since many of its members.

From a contribution yearly of between \$3,000 and \$4,000 the church now contributes for all purposes on an average of \$13,000. From a mortgaged indebtedness of more than \$20,000, the church has, under the leadership of Dr. Mac-Leod, litted all of this but \$250, and this amount now is properly covered with pledges.

The pastor preaches his anniversary sermon tomorrow morning. A special musical program has been arranged by Mrs. G. F. Shutt.

New Complaints Entered **Against Old Dominion**

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MARYLAND COUPLE

Dance Follows Ceremony Which Is Attended by Two Hundred Guests.

The owner of the hunting dog captured by Mounted Policeman Frank Dent after he had put the hunters to flight in a long chase Wednesday evening in Fairley's woods, when he succeeded in overtaking one of their dogs and recovered a hat that had blown from the head of one of the fleeing huntsmen, turned up yesterday in the person of Clifton Reel, colored, of the Ridge road. He admitted he was part owner of the hunting dog. which was released to him. The sum of \$\frac{\psi}{\psi}\$ was received from Reel as collateral after a charge of violating the game law had been made against him.

Hundred Guests.

HOCKVILLE, Md., Nov. 22.—In the presence of probably 290 guests, Percy Eugene Redden, of Cropley, this county, and Miss Isabel Lillian Knoepke, of Great Falls, this county, were married at Cromelin Hotel, Great Falls, Thursday evening by the Rev. Homer Welsh, owner of the Methodist Church, at Police and Adance followed. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. William Case, of Great Falls.

The Rev. Oscar W. Henderson, pastor of the Rockville Baptist Church.

pastor of the Methodist Church, at Potomac. A dance followed. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. William Case, of Great Falls.

The Rev. Oscar W. Henderson, pastor of the Rockville Haptist Church, officiated at the marriage yesterday afternoon of William Kern Risdon, of Warrenton, Va., and Miss Elizabeth Cenie Ferguson, of Middieburn, Va., the home of the minister being the scene of the ceremony.

An open meeting of the Rocky'.lie Woman's Club was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ernest i... Builard. A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presentation of "The Peaked Sisters." by members of the club under the direction of Mrs. Berry E. Clark. Refreshments were served. E. Clark. Refreshments were served.

Elight years in the Maryland penitentiary was the penalty imposed by Judge Peter in the circuit court here yesterday upon John F. Hopkins, a young colored man, who was convicted of an assault with intent to kill upon his wife. Laura Hopkins, at Sandy Spring, the 5th of last May. Hopkins, according to the testimony, used a razor on his wife's neck with such effect as nearly to cause her death. He claimed he cut her in self defense, contending that she first attacked him with a knife. The Young Men's Catholic Club intends to make its November dance, which will take place en Monday evening next in the assembly hall of St. Teresa's Parochial School, a reminder of the Thanksgiving season. The decorations will be arranged with this idea in view.

The police have surrendered the care of the Buchannan house and property near Good Hope to relatives of the dead woman, Margaret Buchannan, whose The trials of Brice Diggs, charged with the murder of Lincoln McQuade, and of Raymond Swan, charged with the murder of Websier Waters, have been set for Monday and Tuesday, respectively. Both men are colored, as were the men they are charged with having murdered. body has been lying there nearly a week awaiting the arrival of her heirs. Two of these have appeared, one from Durhan, N. C., and another from New York city. The dead woman owned property, which the polica were required to guard. The remains were interred the afternoon in Moore's Cemetery beyond Anacostia. She was buried from Allen's A. M. E. Chapel, colored. Mrs. Buchannan was sixty-two years old. Following the discovery of her dead body in the kitchen, the coroner gave a certificate of

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A series of evangelistic services will be begun in the Rockville Christian Church tomorrow morning. The pastor, the Rev. William G. Oram, will be as-sisted by the Rev. Earle Wildey, of Washington.

W. J. Lewis, telegraph operator fo

John Fox's "fine story, The Heart

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Beginning in the January number-

the Baltimore and Ohio Raliroad Company at Boyds, this county, was not indicted by the grand jury in connection with the killing of Harry Thomas, colored, at Boyds, the night of October 31. Lewis detected Thomas stealing meat from the Baltimore and Ohio station platform at Boyds, and shot him as he was driving away with the meat, it was charged.

Bench Warrant Issued For Convicted Attorney

A bench warrant for the arrest of John W. Petterson, the colored lawyer convicted of embessiement and sentenced to four years in the penitentiary, was issued yesterday by Justice Stafford in Criminal Court No. 1, following the receipt of the mandate from the Court of Appeals affirming the judgment of the lower court. There is some mystery over the whereabouts of Patterson, his counsel, Matthew E. O'Brien, and his wife expressing doubt as to whether he is in the city. Deputy marshals are looking for the attorney this afternoon.

Patterson was convicted of appropriating to his own use insurance funds belonging to a woman client. He carried the case to the United States Supreme Court for a write described.

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